Adopted Rejected

COMMITTEE REPORT

YES: 8 NO: 1

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on <u>Public Health</u>, to which was referred <u>House Bill 1221</u>, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

- Page 1, line 3, after "21." insert "(a)".
- Page 1, line 5, delete "a" and insert "an in force".
- 3 Page 1, line 7, after "as" delete "the" and insert "a beneficiary of
- 4 the life insurance policy for an amount that is not greater than the
- 5 amount of Medicaid benefits provided to the recipient; or
- 6 (2) collaterally assigned the life insurance policy to the state 7 under a written agreement submitted to and recorded by the
- 8 issuing company of the life insurance policy.
- 9 **(b)** Any policy under which the state is named as an irrevocable 10 beneficiary or that has been collaterally assigned to the state may
- beneficiary or that has been collaterally assigned to the state may
 not be sold, assigned, or the ownership transferred to any person
- or entity. This restriction exists as long as the policy names the
- state as an irrevocable beneficiary or as long as the policy is
- 14 collaterally assigned to the state.

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1	(c) Policy proceeds that exceed the amount of Medicaid benefits
2	provided to a recipient shall be paid to a beneficiary named by the
3	applicant or recipient.".
4	Page 1, delete lines 8 through 9.
5	Page 4, line 22, after "as" delete "the" and insert "a beneficiary of
6	the life insurance policy for an amount that is not greater than the
7	amount of Medicaid benefits provided to the recipient; or
8	(2) collaterally assigned the life insurance policy to the state
9	under a written agreement submitted to and recorded by the
10	issuing company of the life insurance policy.".
11	Page 4, delete lines 23 through 28, begin a new paragraph and
12	insert:
13	"(c) Any designation of the state as an irrevocable beneficiary or
14	any collateral assignment in favor of the state is void if the
15	application for Medicaid benefits is not approved.".
	(Reference is to HB 1221 as introduced.)

and when so amended that said bill do pass.

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